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SUBJECT: MERCK AND COMPANY - INTEREST IN PURCHASING CON-
CENTRATED POPPY STRAW

MR. PAUL BUTTERWICK DIRECTOR OF PURCHASING FOR MERCKA
MAJOR U.S. PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANY IS INTERESTED IN PUR-
CHASING THE SUBJECT PHARMACEUTICAL RAW MATERIAL. HE PLANS
TO BE IN MOSCOW DURING THE WEEK OF APRIL 21, AND WOULD
BE IN A POSITION TO DISCUSS THE SALE OF THIS RAW MATERIAL.

MERCK IS LOCATED IN RAHWAY, NEW JERSEY - TELEX NO. 138825
PHONE (201) 574-6004.

IT IS REQUESTED EMBASSY MAKE SUITABLE APPOINTMENTS AND
INFORM USDOC, AND TELEX BUTTERWICK. INGERSOLL

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